

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

As filed, the application included claims 1-58. This amendment neither adds, cancels, nor amends any claims. Hence, after entry of this amendment, claims 1-58 remain pending for examination.

An Office Action mailed March 17, 2006, required an election among the following species: Specie A (claims 19 and 20), Specie B (claims 28 and 29), Specie C (claims 36-38 and 46-48), Specie D (claims 40 and 41), and Specie E (claim 52). In response to the election requirement, Applicant elects, without traverse, to prosecute Specie A (claims 19 and 20).

Conclusion

In view of the foregoing, Applicant believes all claims now pending in this application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 303-571-4000.

Respectfully submitted,

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